NEWS ITEMS.

IT is stated that the House Committee on Territories will report in favor of the admission of New Mexico as a State, under the name of Lincoln.

VICE-PRESIDENT Colfax has received from Mr. R. Beerdsley, United States Consul at Jerusalem, a box containing a Speaker's mallet of olive-wood from the Mount of Olives, and an inkstand and sandbox of asphalt, from the Dead Sea, all beautifully carved and polished.

THE several Indian tribes located in the Indian Territory are about to form a Republican Confederacy, with the expectation that at some future time they may be admitted into the Union as a State.

THE Yale College exploring party to the Rocky Mountains, which left New Haven in June last, has returned to that city.

THE breaks in the two English Atlantic Cables are not yet repaired, and, owing to the unfavorable state of the weather at this season of the year, it is quite uncertain when they will be. The French Cable, which now has to do all the business, has never worked so well as the English ones, especially from this country to Europe, in which direction it transmits messages with difficulty.

IT is reported that the vacant Mission to England, to which two Senators have already been appointed, but who declined it, is to be given to Gen. Schenck of Ohio. The prospect of his appointment to this post, seems to give general satisfaction.

THE Duke of Aosta left Italy for Spain, Dec. 19. There is a strong and bitter opposition to him in the country owing to the aversion of the people to having a foreigner on the throne. His friends, it is said, even fear that attempts will be made upon his life, before he reaches Madrid.

Answers to Correspondents.

To *V. C. E., Elmore, O.*—You will find the information you desire in the CIRCULAR that we send you, No. 34. Our doors are at present closed against applicants.

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